

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Hidetoshi Nishikawa                      Art Unit : 2819  
Serial No. : 10/561,552                                  Examiner : Vibol Tan  
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Title : SEMICONDUCTOR INTEGRATED CIRCUIT DEVICE

Commissioner for Patents  
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PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated November 26, 2007, be extended for three months to and including May 26, 2008.

The petition fee of \$1050.00 is being paid concurrently herewith on the Electronic Filing System (EFS) by way of Deposit Account Authorization. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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